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See 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.27 AND 1.28*

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Application Number	10/052,019
Filing Date	January 16, 2002
First Named Inventor	Bijan Treister
Examiner Name	John B. Walsh
Group/Art Unit	2151

Attorney Docket No. 52637-0023

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge – late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	

1401 500 2401 250 Notice of Appeal

1402 500 2402 250 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

1452 500 2452 250 Petition to revive – unavoidable

1453 1,500 2453 750 Petition to revive – unintentional

1501 1,400 2501 700 Utility issue fee (or reissue)

1502 800 2502 400 Design issue fee

1504 300 2504 300 Publication Fee

1462 400 1462 400 Petitions Director not specifically provided for Group I

1463 200 1463 200 Petitions Director not specifically provided for Group II

1464 130 1464 130 Petitions Director not specifically provided for Group III

1806 180 1806 180 Submission of information Disclosure Stmt

8021 40 8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)

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1810 790 2810 395 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

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1011	300	2011	150	Utility filing fee	
1111	500	2111	250	Utility Search fee	
1311	200	2311	100	Utility Examination fee	
1081	250	2081	125	Utility Application Size Fee	
1005	200	2005	100	Provisional Application Fee	
1085	250	20835	125	Provisional Application Size Fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)				(\$ 0.00)	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Highest Paid Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from Below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	50	-43**= 7	X 50.00	= 350.00
Independent Claims	12	- 9**= 3	X 200.00	= 600.00
Multiple Dependent				=

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Large Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	200	2204	100	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	50	2205	25	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)				(\$ 950.00)

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SUBTOTAL (3)

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In re Application of : Confirmation No.: 1224
Bijan Treister, et al. :
Serial No.: 10/052,019 : Group Art Unit: 2151
Filed: January 16, 2002 :
For: APPROACH FOR MANAGING :
COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS BASED :
ON PERFORMANCE AND TRANSFERRING :
FUNCTIONS BETWEEN PARTICIPANTS IN :
A COMMUNICATIONS ARRANGEMENT :
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed **October 7, 2005**, the shortened statutory period for which runs until **January 7, 2006**, which falls on a Saturday and therefore the filing of this response on Monday, **January 9, 2006** is considered timely filed per 35 U.S.C. 21(b), 37 CFR 1.7, and MPEP §710.05.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

There are no Specification Amendments. There are no Drawings Amendments.

Claim Amendments and Remarks are presented on separate sheets as indicated below:

- Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.
- Remarks begin at page 28.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks after entry of the amendments.

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